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In the application of )

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on HEAT-ACTIVATED ADHESIVE TAPE )  
HAVING AN ACRYLIC FOAM-LIKE )  
BACKING )

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